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#### THRILLING

in the Philippines by a Participant.

SERGT, BENNETT'S BRAVE STRUGGLE

Sergeant W. E. Bennett, an Ohio county boy row in the Philippines, sends the following letter to his mother in Hartford, the greater portion of it being a vivid descripition of a desperate fight with a company of bandits:

LA CARLOTA, P. I., Oct. 28, 1899. DISPELS COLDS CHESCES | hand-t-hand fighting I ever saw, took perate looking men, even in death, I it and burned it to the ground. The have ever seen.

OVERCOMES FEVERS | enemy were about 450 strong, too. We killed 15, captured 48 men, 42 women mil tary authorities here for the part I HABITUAL CONSTIPATION | enemy were about 450 strong, too. We | I have received the thanks of the will tary authorities here for the part I have taken in the constituence of the part I have taken in the blacksmith and carpenters' tools and The rebellion can's last much longer.

Negros. It was my good luck to have close. I am your son, this gentlem in receive me right at the door of his own hous, and it was as follows: We had marched all night of the 25th. I commanded the advance guard and recommutered every foot of the country as we went. Our guide informed us that we were near the place about a half hour before daybreak. Accordingly, I balted the advance and taking the guide, went forward to reconnoitered the place. I found that they had sentries ported, were evidently expecting us, so I decided to wait till daylight before attacking them. I lay in the grass and waited and wa ched. Just as day was breaking, the sentrics left their posts and went to turn in. I immediately notified the Lieutenaut and we moved forward to attack them. The plan was for me to deploy ten men

slong the main read, while Sergt. Parrott deployed the rest along a road that lay at right angles to the main road, so to have our men on two sides of the place, and then make the attack. Some fool, tough, had to fire before he got orders and this spread the slarm. Out they began to jamp and the men began to fire on them. I tried to deploy, as was ordered, but the men were to busily engaged to be able to spread out. They had caucht about twenty-five of the enemy to a bouse and were killing them s last as one tried to get away.

I was some distance from the men. and six or eight of the bandits, seeing me alone, drew their tolos, (an implement of war, shout like our corn knife), and made a run for me. They soon changed their course, lowever. I turned my forty five cal liber army revolver loose at them and knocked down four of them, killing two dead and wounding two others. The men fired about the same time, killing all the rest but one. and be ran for life and got behind a bouse, close by. I made a run for the house expecting to get a shot at him, and when just opposite the door, it flew open and out bounced old Aries Juan bimself. He was armed with a Mauser rifle and had on a tobalong (a short sword) and a revolver. I was no more than fifteen steps from him when be struck the ground, and he blazed away at me point blank with his rifle, the bullet cutting my hat rim. He had the reputation all over the island of being a fine shot, and how he missed me, as large as I am, is a mystery. He did-ATTORNEY AT LAW, en't get another shot, however, I sutteipated his kindness by giving him a

heavy revolver ball just above the heart



"I had a terrible cough something over a year ago and could find nothing to stop it, or even to do me a particle of good. I chanced to see an advertisement of yours, and forthwith bought a bottle of your invaluable 'Golden Medical Discovery.' Before I had taken half a bottle I was entirely well."—J. M. Farr, Hsq., of Cameron, Screven Co., Ga.

### spears. I snapped my revolver at them

Description of a Fight sprang forward for old Aries' rifle. Although badly wounded, Aries Juan came very near drawing his revolver, when I dealt him a slish across the head that silenced him forever. I picked up his rifle and turned it loose at his men, who were now fleeing wildly in every direction, our soldiers blezing away at them as fast as they could.

This fellow Aries Juan was one of the largest natives I have ever seen. He had been well educateed in Spanish and was a powerful man, mentally as well as physically. He was slmost as large as I am, and about the color of Dan Mamma-I received your letter to- Hines, of Hartford. On the stock of day. It found me well and hearty and his rifl he had out seventeen notches, in about as good shape as I could wish. one for each man be had killed. The We have just gotten back from another Spanish government at one time offered expedition against the bandits and I \$2,000 for him, dead or alive, but it think this time we about done them up seems that it was left for me to get him. for good. Yesterday morning at day- I have his riff-, revolver, sword, shoes light, Lieut, Evans and I, with twenty- and hat, which I will send home the one men, attacked the town of Castle first chance. His shoes exactly fit me,

8 rifler, 6 revolvers, 27 spears, 198 bolos, medal for the part taken in the engage-

Our army has Aguinaldo well nigh sur-They were commanded by the far rounded and in a few weeks more, at famed bands. Aries Juan, who has least, will make the final move. This cared to admit. made himself a terror to the people of leaves me well and hearty. I must WM. E. BENNETT,

Sergt, Mej. 2nd Batt 6th Inf., La Carlots, Negros, P. I. If you feel Dull, Lanenid, Broken-Down, Debilitated, bave Weak Stomsch or Indicestion, use Dr. M. A. Simmons

Liver Medicine. For sale by J. H. suddenly, as they always come.
Williams, Hattford, Ky. m That afternoon a combad What a Man May Do.

[Denver Republican.] "I don't see why a man should worry

about Christmas," she said. "Why not?" he asked. cost money, don't they?"

"Of course they do," she replied, "but if a man only uses a little diplomacy and judgment, there is no reason why he should not give a very handsome present in such a way that he will get it back with interest." "How?" be it quired.

"Suppose his present should be diamond ring," she suggested.

"Well," she explained, pouting, to out. two or three evenings a week." The person who disturbed the con-

get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, in the gloom.
which always gives relief. For sale by That it was a J. H. Williams, Hartford; S. L. Mitchell & Bro. Beaver Dam; M. S. Ragland,

#### Bargain-Counter Victims. [Detroit Free Press.]

"I want something nice for a young man," said the pretty miss to the girl behind the counter. "Here's a beautiful scarfpin that's re-

duced to \$25."

"Twenty-five dollars! Do you suppose I want to buy my brother a \$25 present? "Ob, it's for your brother! Bargain counter in the basement. Take the of seldom missing its mark.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Chart H. Thickes

Three Little Facts For Christmas.

THE DATE. Christmas was first kept as a boly day in A. D. 98, but for three centuries it was the most movable of festivals. The the cause of her death, he thought that date December 25 was selected in the fourth century by a commission of theologians.

This is the height of the rainy season in Judes, which makes it improbable that Women as Well as Men shepherds would be watching their flocks by night and that the stars would be visible. October is the month agreed

Making allowances for the mercurial Latin temperament, the fathers of the church deemed it wise to give Christians an opportunity to make merry no less than their heather neighbors and established the colubration.

THE GIFTS. Why should people make presents at Christmas? 'Tis a gracious curthe matter, studies the New Testament and reaches the conclusion that the exchange of gifts symbolizes the homage paid to the infant Jesus by the Kings and Wise Men of the East.

Her historians say that the early Christians and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold

But historians say that the early Christians exchanged gifts because their pagan neighbors did.

#### and down he west. Behind him were SWEETHEART

Killed by Her Lover, with husbed breath. a Wild Coyote.

WILLIAMS NEVER SMILED AGAIN.

Last week in a little country churchyard in Cloud county, Western Kansas, old Jack Williams was buried -"Laughin' Jack" he was called, though never within the memory of the younger generation had a smile been seen upon bis face.

In 1867 Jack Williams appeared to the Clyde be opened a livery stable and never heard again. commenced trading horses and freight-

He was a jolly fellow, always joking and nearly always laughing. His laugh was worth coming miles to hear. It had a volume like the roar of a cata-The claim adjoining Jack's was held

about twenty-two or twenty-three years terms the bloodshed in the far Pacific old. She was fairly good-looking and did a full man's work on the farm. "Laughin' Jack" use to curse the

"Dutch outfit" for what be termed their fellows of the place that he had more of an interest in the girl than he really Her parents knew nothing of these

facts. Her marriage meant the loss of a man on the farm, and it was taken for granted that they would oppose it. So the couple intended to get married on the quiet. Late one afternoon in the winter of

That afternoon a cow had escaped from the Dutchman's porral, and it fell to the lot of the girl to flud the animal. When the storm burst the German and

'69 there came up a terrible blizzard-

his wife sat by the fire, reasoning that the girl would come out all right. That evening Jack went to his shack to spend the night, getting there before the worst of the storm. He was preparing to go to bed, when his attention was attracted by the actions of his dog. The beast had risen to his feet

and appeared to be listening. There came a full in the storm, the dog gave a yelp and bounding to the door, commenced scratching at it. Jack

think he should be so ob'use, "a man The moon was making a feeble at pect of your countenance is entirely who can't present agirl with a diamond tempt to cast light through the clouds, out of harmony with this joyous season ring in such a way that he will get the but nothing could be made out. Jack of the year." ring back with the wearer of it thrown was on the point of closing the door "Yes, I'm feeling a little blue," conin, hasn't any business calling on her when again the yelp of the hound rang feesed Smith. "You see just before gregation last Sunday by coughing, is dimly see on the edge of a ravine near might make me a present with ber own requested to call on J. H. Williams and the shack a grayish body moving slowly dear little hands, instead of paying a lot

When Jack started for town next morning he walked to the ravene to see the product of her own skill and labor, how his sim had been. An awful sight and she went to work with a will." met his gaze. Just below the edge of the bank, with

pure white snow all about her, ice in- conjured forth. clustered in her bair, was the body of the girl he had intended to make his wife-shot through the brain by the rifle which, in his hands, had a record

The man was nearly crazed with grief and horror; yet he could not be blamed. less have cost considerable if purchased The girl, numbed by exposure, was at a store." endeavoring to make her way to his place for shelter, guided by the light in his window. Under the circumstances it was small cause for wonder that he was frantic with grief.

grievance, and the day following the trifle blue," Smith responded in a funeral he appeared at Jack's stable. gloomy tone. "The fact is, I have just He walked over to where Jack was dis- received the bill for the stuff she bought consolately sitting on a goods box, and to make my present out of." said that as his daughter had been a great help to him, and as Jack had been something should be done to make it it right, and suggested that if Jack

#### Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.



become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kid-

by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail

sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet tell-ing all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received If troubled with Dizziness, Furred Tongue, Bitter Taste in month, Bloated ing all about it, including many of the Peeling after eating, Constipation or Sok Headache, use Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine. For sale by J. H. Williams, Hartford, Ky.

Sample bottle by mail Home of Sesup-Root. Home of Sesup-Root ing all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received woman is at a disadvantage. A good bissed on the streets. Lieut. Stacker grizzly bear can't be bought for less said: "The troops, in my opinion, will than ten times that.

would surrender his land to him, he TWAS THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTwould call it sonare.

For a minute Jack did not speak while the loafers in the barn waited

eled it at the farmer, and in a voice that Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse; began with a choke he said:

that wagon and hit the trail for home, The children were nestled all snug in their beds, and if you ever mention this matter to While visious of sugar-plums danced in their me again, I swear to, God I'll fill your carcass so full of lead that you can't be Had just settled our brains for a long winter

What "Laugin' Jack" said, went; the old man turned and left the place. Jack was never the same after that. He seemed to have lost interest in life, town of Clyde. Soon after reaching and from that time the old laugh was Gave the luster of midday to objects below,

Independence or Eternal War.

Absolute independence or eternal war I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick. - Phillippine Republic or a hell, with its doors kept closed only by the weight of 50,000 men in arms-such is the ultimatum iaid down by Aguinalde, High Commissioner of the Phillippine Reby a German whose family consisted of public-as he calls himself-to James Creelman, who asked bim on what

He told Mr. Creelman that if the insurgents were beaten to-morrow, they would rise again next week or next As I drew in my head, and was turning around hareh treatment of the girl. He was so year. He said that if this generation Down the chimney St. Nicholas came with a bitter that it finally daned upon the were subdued, its children would take up the feud. He said that if their fire-arms were taken away, they would continue to fight with belos and bam-

> Independence only would satisfy them. They would gladly accept the protection of the United States. They would give us exclusive trading privileges, but joint federation of States they would not.

"You may be strong enough to destroy us," he said, "but we can at least And the smoke it encircled his head like a

CASTORIA Chart Fletchire Cleverton-When you told her father

you loved her, did he show much feel-Dashaway-Ob, yes; I don't know when I have been so moved .-- [Life.

TO CURE LA GRIPPE IN TWO DAYS TAKE LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS, All druggists refund the money if it falls to cure, R. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25c.

Holiday Economy.

Towns as he met his friend. "The as-

out. Grasping his rifle, Jack advanced Christmas I suggested to my wife that a few paces from the door. He could as times were rather hard this year she dimly see on the edge of a ravine near might make me a present with ber own of money for tomething at the store.

That it was a coyote there could be Well, she fell in with the idea at once, no doubt, and throwing up his gun and I congretulated myself on having Jack fired. No sound followed the made a shrewd move in the direction of crack of the rifle, but the object disap- holiday economy. I teld her that I would be cathefied with any little thing; that all I required was that it should be

The speaker pansed, evidently over come by the memories that his recital

"Then she made your present, did she?" queried Towne. "Yes," replied Smith, "she made my present."

"Weren't you pleased with it?" "Oh, yes. It was a very beautiful and elaborate affair and would doubt-"Wel', if your economical offort was

satisfactory, what the dekens is the matter?" "Ob, there is nothing in particular The father considered that he had a the matter, except that I'm feeling a cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, reliev-

> A SURE CURE FOR CROUP. Twenty-five Years' Constant Use Without

a Failure. The first indication of croup is hoarse-pess, and in a child subject to that dis-Murphy?" asked a spectator. ease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoerseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Congh Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes boarse, or even after the croupy cough

The Commissioner rules that in all cases where documentary stamps of neys. If the child urin- the denomination of 10 cents or any urine scales the flesh or if, when the child denoting any to the person wine "Counting it," - [Clevel and Plain reaches an age when it should be able to denoting any tax, the person using control the passage, it is yet afflicted with or affixing it shell, in addition to writ. d. aler. control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of ing or stamping thereon, with initials the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first of his name and the date when affixed. Bears the ents at Christmas? Tis a gracious curstep should be towards the treatment of
tom,, subject to abuse, but what was its
origin? Unlearned piety, to investigate trouble is due to a diseased condition of the

step should be towards the treatment of
the same and the date wash affect,
mutilate the stamp by entring three Bigustare
parallel incisions lengthwise through it,
of idneys and bladder and not to a habit as beginning not more than one-fourth of an inch from one end and extending to within one-fourth of an inch of the other end.

At It Again.

[Indianapolis Journal.]

MAS.

CLEMENT C. MOORE.

who Thought She was his seat. Pulling a six-shooter, he lev-The stockings were hung by the chimney with

care. "See here, Dutch! Climb right into In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there

> And mamma in 'kerchief, and I in my cap, nap:

When out on the lawn their arose such a clatter, I sprang from the bed to see what was the matter Away to the window I flew like a flash, Tore open the shutters and threw up the sash. The moon on the breast of the new-fallen snow, When, what to my wondering eyes should ap-

pear, But a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny reindeer With a little old driver, so lively and quick, More rapid than eagles his coursers they came

And he whistled, and shouted, and called them by name; Now, Dasher; now, Dancer, Prancer and Vixen: On, Comet; on, Cupid; on, Donder and Blitzen. To the top of the porch; to the top of the wall Now dash away; dash away; dash away all." When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the

So up to the house-top the coursers they flew, With the sleigh full of toys, and St. Nicholastoo And then, in a twinkling. I heard on the roof The prancing and pawing of each little hoof-

He was dressed all in fur, from his head to And his clothes were all tarnished with ashe

and soot; An bundle of tops he had flung on his back. pack. sayes-how they twinkled! his dimples how

merry His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry His droll little mouth was drawn up like a bow And the beard of his chin was as white as the The stump of a pipe he held tight in his teeth.

He had a broad face and a little round belly That shook, when he laughed, like a bowl full of He was chubby and plump, a right jolly old elf, And I laughed, when I saw him, in spite of my-

Soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread; work. And filled all the stockings; then turned with

A wink of his eve and a twist of his head.

And laying his finger aside of his nose,

And giving a nod, up the chimney he rose; sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave whistle. And away they all flew like the down of a thistle

Happy Christmas to all, and to all a Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine

natural channels. For sale by J. H. Williams, Hartford, Kr.

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That is the Quest on. [Cincinnati Enquirer.] If the war in the Philippines is as near a conclusion as the Administration organs tell us it is, somebody in authority ought to have a form of government ready for use in time of peace. What are we going to do with the

Philippine Islands? the The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Chart thetehord Bignature

Sinister Delight. [Indianapolis Sentinel.] "I can't understand why women joy foot-ball."

"I'll tell von. It is because it makes

the men look as if they had been clean-

ing house." Exposure to a sudden climatic change produces cold in the head and catarrh is apt to follow. Provided with Ely's Cream Balm, you are armed against so successful and the present was so Nasal Catarrh. Price 50 cents at Druggists, or Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York, will mail it. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or

> tion, cleanses and cures. Cream Balm quickly cares the cold. The Irishman was painting his barn and he was hurrying his work with all

ing immediately the painful inflamma-

his strength and speed. "What are you in such a hurry for, "Sure, I want to get through before me paint runs out," was the reply.

Just Saved His Life. It was a thrilling escape that Charles appears, it will prevent the attack. It Davis of Browerston, O, lately had is used in many thousands of homes in from a frightful death. For two years In its aspect as a religious celebration Christmas entered into rivalry with the Christmas entered in which it consumption.

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> "How would you put in your time if "Counting it." - [Clevel and Plain-

> CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The End Out of Sight. NEW YORK, Dec. 14 -- Lieut Stacker

and seven members of the First Tennessee Volunteers arrived here to-day on the steamer St. Louis from Southampton, on their way to their homes in The Savage Bachelor-I don't see Clarksville, Tenn., after having seen why a man should get married when a some months of active service in the

# Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

years, and then never catch him. But be is simply the figure head. There are others behind him. I do not think the Philippines are worth all the loss of life and the trouble they are costing us. When the dry season sets in I think the end of the present rebellion will be in sight. When quiet is restored, the Government will have to keep the islands well garrisoned, and then they will never be able to keep all the natives quiet. Revolutions will be constantly starting in different sections, and I think we will find that we have our bands full."

Dr. C. J. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich. says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in Three very severe cases of pneumona the past month with good results." For sale by J. H. Williams, Hartford; S. L. Mitchell & Bro., Beaver Look in Your Mirror Dam; M. S. Ragland, Rosine.

American soldiers in the Philippines are all wearing "dog checks." A "dog check" is a lead medal about the size of a dotlar, with the volunteer's name, regiment and company stamped on it. It is bung on a leather string around And he looked like a peddler just opening his the neck and serves to identify the dead or severely wounded.

For Pneumonia.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Ingerson, of Hutton, Ind. says he had not spoken above a whis-per for months, and one bottle of Fol-ev's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers. For sale by J. H. Williams, Hartford; S. L. Mitchell & Bro. Beaver Dam; M. S. Bagland, Rosine. m A Female Sherlock Holmes.

Rev. Saintly (to wife, as congregation assembles)-Where is Mrs. Fashuns this morning? She is usually among the early comers.

|Baltimore American.|

Mrs. Saintly-She will be late to-day. I saw her buying a new hat last week. Bad Blood---Cure Free! Eating Sores, Tumors, Ulcers, Cancer Breast, Stomach, Legs, or Arms, are all

curable by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm,) which is made especially to cure all terrible Blood Diseases. Persistent Sores, Blood and Skin Blemishes, Scrofsearches out all Impurities in the System, and expels them harmlessly by the quickly oured by B. B. B. (Botanic Blo nlo, that resists other treatments, are quickly cured by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm.) Skin Eruptions, Pimples, Red, Itching Eczems, Scales, Blisters, Boile, Blotches, Catarrh, Rheumatism, etc., are all due to bad blood, and hence easily cured by B. B. B. Syphilitic Blood Poison (Producing Eruptions, Ulcerated Throat and Mouth, Swollen Glands, etc.) literally driven from the system and cure made by B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm.) in one to five months. B. B. does not contain vegetable or

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Atlante, Ga. Memorial. Dedicated to Mrs. Artie Ralph, wife of H. W. Ralph, who departed this

She is gone; she has left us And is sleeping 'neath the sod. Though her body lies within the dust, Her spirit dwells with God. We miss her, O! how sadly.

life November 15, 1898.

For it was the Master's will An absent form, a vacant chair, A voice that's stilled in death, But look not in the grave's cold chamber

For the loved one and the blest.

Like the sentinel brave and true He will send the awful message-

Written by T. P. Rulph, Pleasant Ridge, Ky

He will call some day for you.

Be ye ready for the summons,

And no one her place can fill, Yet the angels received her gladly,

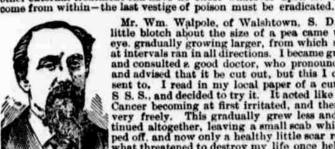
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## SMALL SPOT MAY BE CANCER

MOST VIOLENT CASES HAVE

The greatest care should be given to any little sore, pimple or scratch which shows no disposition to heal under ordinal development. No one can tell how soon these will develop into Cancer of the worst type. So many people die from Cancer simply become promptly.

Cause they do not know just what the disease is; they naturally turn themselves over to the doctors, and are forced to submit to a cruel and dangerous operation—the only treatment which the doctors know for Cancer. The disease promptly returns, however, and is even more violent and destructive than before. Cancer is a deadly poison in the blood, and an operation, plaster. of other external treatment can have no effect whatever upon it. The cure must come from within—the last vestige of poison must be eradicated.



Mr. Wm. Walpole, of Walshtown, S. D., says: Mr. Wm. Walpole, of Walshtown, S. D., says: "A little blotch about the size of a pea came under my left eye, gradually growing larger, from which shooting pr ins at intervals ran in all directions. I became greatly alarmed and consulted z good doctor, who pronounced it Cancer, and advised that it be cut out, but this I could not consent to. I read in my local paper of a cure effected by S. S., and decided to try it. It acted like a charm, the Cancer becoming at first irritated, and then discharging very freely. This gradually grew less and then discontinued altogether, leaving a small scab which soon dropvery freely. This gradually grew less and then discon-tinued altogether, leaving a small scab which soon drop-ped off, and now only a healthy little scar remains where what threatened to destroy my life once held full sway." Positively the only cure for Cancer is Swift's Specific—

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